



## WILLIAMSON COUNTY

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### Addendum #3 to Dispatch Furniture RFP for Office of Public Safety Bid Opening Date September 24, 2015

Following are questions received regarding the above RFP, and Williamson County's responses:

#### General Questions:

- Would you consider designating Xybix as an "equal" prior to submission of bids? **Yes**
- Who is the architect on this project? **Thomas Miller Partners**
- On the second page – the scoring part of the RFP – under Subpoint C it says "see section 12.0" Section 12 however, addresses security and safety. How do you prefer that is tied into references? **Remove reference to section 12.0**
- Has Bramic or the architect supplied Williamson County with typical drawings of each style of station with the equipment on it? If so, can we have copies of this please? This would help greatly in seeing how everything fits, where it needs to go, and is critical for fair process. **The drawings available were included in the original RFP.**
- On the PDF the room layout has red squares on it. These are not on the AutoCAD. What are they? Is the entire room on a raised floor? **The red squares are support beams**
- Will the room have carpet? **Yes**
- How is the power and data coming up through the floor? **Grommets**

#### Specifications:

- 6.2.4 Our glides are 3/8" 24NF. Will that be acceptable? **Yes**
- 7.1.1 Please provide typicals showing the preferred stations with the associated equipment on them. **Included in original RFP documents**
- 7.2.2 Can you please clarify the actual dimensions of the computers? We want to make sure that once the computers are in the cabinet along with all of the other equipment (power and data connections) that everything will fit. **The actual size of the computers is not known at this time.**
- 7.2.3 Does the console vendor supply the data patch panel? **Yes**
- 7.4.2 How many Motorola speakers will each station have? **Three (left, right and center for back up radio)**
- 7.4.5 Are the Call Taker's 911 phone not touch screen like the dispatchers? **yes**
- 9.1 Do the Call Takers need to have File Storage? If so, please specify. **No**

- 10.1 How do you plan to connect the PDU to the building power? Hardwired or through a L5-20P twist lock plug? **Hard wired**
- 11.3 Who supplies the extended cables? **Williamson County**
- 12.4 Xybix and other consoles companies have installed thousands of consoles without this requirement. It can certainly be done, but it will cost you. Do you want this quoted? **Yes**
- 13.1 All LED lights emit some heat. Is there an acceptable temperature range? **The lighting system should be low wattage in which the LEDs produce no heat.**
- 13.3a Please clarify the term "automatic." Does that mean the light turns on when the dispatcher occupies the station? **The lights automatically change colors from an occupied status based on what the dispatcher is doing, if they are on the radio, on the phone, or if they need a supervisor**
- 13.3b The ID labels are to provide "illumination." Please clarify if these are to be powered, affixed to the "white occupied" signal of the status light, or how it is to be accomplished. **The ID labels are to be affixed to the white occupied signal of the status light.**
- 13.4 If there is technical consultation, does that mean Williamson County is responsible for the hook up of the lights? **Yes**
- 13.5 To clarify, Williamson County wants the dispatchers to be able to transmit 6 different ways; foot pedal, mouse, keyboard, touch screen, and two PTT buttons. Is this correct? **Negative, they will not be able to transmit by keyboard**
- 14 If we can meet these specification for the 12-24 port Cat 6 data patch panel in a different and more easily accessible location, would that be acceptable? **It's preferred location is within the CPU Compartment**
- 18.1 Do you have a CFM requirement (cubic feet per minute) for these fans? No
- 19.1 Please list pre-approved equivalents to Wilson Art. **This is up to vendor to find equivalent, but it must be equivalent**
- 19.8.3 The height of 28" fails to meet the ANSI/HFES 100-2007 Human Factors requirements in section 21. Which height does Williamson County want; the ANSI/HFES standard, or that of this RFP? **The requirements shall encompass the range between 28" and 48", requirements are not limited to ANSI/HFES 100-2007**
- 22 The monitor arm array referred to in the specifications appears to infringe upon Xybix's patent #7,878,476 for monitor adjustments. How does Williamson County prefer we manage this? **If Xybix's patent refers to the requirements listed in the RFP then specifications should be met, no infringement.**
- 24.1 This section requests the elimination of the techs having to crawl under the station for keyboard and mouse changes, however 7.2.1 specifies CPUs to be housed under the console. Please clarify. **The dash mounted usb/data access points connect to the CPUs under the consoles thus eliminating the need to crawl under to replace a keyboard or mouse as they will plug into the access points.**
- 24.2 Can you provide drawings with dimensions of the central table/cabinet? The drawing does not look like it is 24" w 36" d x 29" h. **Dimensions are as stated.**
- 24.2 Will the double sided supervisor cabinets be accessed from the dispatcher floor? **Yes**

- 24.3 What type of receptacles? Power, data? **Power for APX 6500, back up radio head set jack, radio keyboard and KVM switch.**
- 24.5 Will this need to tie into the touchscreens? **Yes**
- 24.6 Can you provide a picture of these? It says they are surface mounted and flush mounted; we need clarification if it can be both. My concern is that this is an area where the PTT buttons could accidentally be pushed. **Flush mounted to the keyboard surface area**

**Cost and Signature:**

- Does Williamson County want a quote on the ½ round cabinets? Included in bid, or listed as an option? **Included**
- Will worksurface mounted fans with undersurface mounted forced air or radiant panel be an allowable solution for the PES to enable more directional specific and adjustable pathways for the air to flow? **No**
- Is the entire console needing to be UL/CSA certified? It is unusual that a console in its entirety must be certified. Not certain that it can be done as a whole. Is it acceptable rather that applicable items and electrical connections should carry such certification? **The whole console**
- As an optional item will a singular worksurface in lieu of the double be acceptable (i.e. keyboard and monitor platforms). **No**
- Would an optional item of matching add on cavity casework be something to be consider as an option? That would provide even greater accommodation for future equipment growth needs. **No**
- Point 7.4.2. Need clarification on mounting brackets. To be provided by console vendor or equipment vendor. **Console Vendor**
- Point 12.3 paragraphs 1. Need clarification about the product described and its intent for safety. **If someone is sitting at the console while it is being lowered it prevents it from continuing once the bar touches something.**
- Point 13.4 and 13.5 is generally provided by the equipment supplier. Not usually the console provider. See also 24.6 and 24.7. **To be provided by console vendor.**
- Same with 13.5. **Items included in RFP to be provided by console vendor.**
- Point 17. Need to clarify what is meant by a knee wall. Doesn't sound like a wall system is required. Rear access doors on the console module can achieve the same thing. Need clarification. **Knee walls are partitions that incase the consoles but allow for a more open and sleek dispatch environment.**

  
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